such duties as may be required of him by said commissioners of West Annapolis, and preserve the peace and good order in said To appoint town, and for that purpose he shall have all the powers of a constable.

Sec. 9. Be it enacted, That the commissioners of West Annapolis and all officers of the corporation shall, before they enter upon the duties of their office, make oath that they will dilligently and faithfully, to the best of their skill and judgment, perform the duties of their office, and shall file a certificate thereof signed by the officer before whom said oath was made among the records of the corporation.

Oath.

SEC. 10. Be it enacted, That the commissioners of West Annap-Returns. olis shall receive all returns of election, and determine all questions

arising thereon.

SEC. 11. And be it enacted, That the commissioners of West Annapolis may pass such ordinances not inconsistent with law, as they may deem beneficial to the town; may open and close streets, lanes and alleys, grade and pave the same, remove nuisances and ordinances obstructions therefrom, restrain all disorders and disturbances, prevent all congregation of disorderly persons in public places, and impose fines, penalties and forfeitures for the violation of the ordinances, and may commit all offenders to the county jail until the same be paid, with costs.

SEC. 12. Be it enacted, That any fines, penalties and forfeitures imposed by this charter, or by any ordinances of the commissioners of West Annapolis, may be collected by proceedings in the To collect name of the commissioners of West Annapolis before any justice of the peace in Anne Arundel county, and the justice of the peace shall have power to commit the offender to the county jail on failure to pay such fines and forfeitures, until the same shall be paid, with costs.

SEC. 13. Be it enacted, That the commissioners of West Annapolis shall not expend, nor contract to expend in any one year, more Not to ex

money than the amount receivable from taxes and other sources for that year.

SEC. 14. Be it enacted, That the county commissioners for the county, justices of the peace, sheriff, constables and all State and county officers shall have, hold and exercise their offices and jurisdiction in said town, as if this charter had not been granted; and the county commissioners for Anne Arundel county shall an reserved, nually pay to the commissioners of West Annapolis the amount of tax levied for repair of roads upon the real property of said town, to be used by the commissioners of West Annapolis for the 1 epair and maintenance of the streets and roads of said town.

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SEC. 15. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from Effective. the date of its passage.

Approved April 8, 1890.